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D.T.E. 00-64

October 5, 2001

To: All 413 Western Massachusetts LNP and Wireless Carriers

As part of its investigation in D.T.E. 00-64, and pursuant to the authority granted it by the Federal Communications Commission ("FCC") in <u>Numbering Resource Optimization</u>, CC Docket No. 99-200, Report and Order and Further Notice of Proposed Rulemaking, FCC 00-104, ¶ 76 (rel. March 31, 2000) ("<u>Report and Order</u>"), the Department of Telecommunications and Energy ("Department") hereby seeks additional and specific information relative to forecasting and utilization data for carriers engaged in the business of providing numbering resources in the 413 NPA.

For wireline carriers, please provide your forecasted need for thousands-blocks through December 31, 2005 for the 413 NPA by completing the attached chart (see Attachment A). For wireless carriers, please provide your forecasted need for exchange codes through December 31, 2005 for the 413 NPA by completing the attached chart (see Attachment A).

In addition, the Department hereby requests that each carrier provide a utilization report by using the attached report format (see Attachment B), detailing the following: (1) list each NXX in numerical order; (2) following the sheet provided, indicate the blocks in question at the thousands level, by rate center where available; (3) for all numbers listed as administrative numbers, explain how those numbers are being used; (4) for all numbers listed as reserved, indicate the duration of the reservation; and (5) explain any other reason why numbers are unavailable for assignment.

Knowing that some of this information could be viewed as trade secrets, confidential, or competitively sensitive proprietary information, the Hearing Officer, in an effort to promote a

timely response, and in accordance with G.L. c. 25, § 5D, will deem the materials confidential and proprietary, subject to the need of the Department to use the information contained therein. In the event the Department uses material characterized as confidential, that information will be identified, declassified and incorporated into the Department's ruling. If the Department needs to disclose any of the forecasting data to third parties, the Department will do so only on an aggregate basis. No disaggregated company specific data will be shared with third parties.

Responses will be due to the Department's offices at One South Station, 2nd Floor, Boston, MA 02110 by the close of business (5:00 PM) on **Friday, October 19, 2001**. Please provide one (1) copy of the proprietary information to April Mulqueen, Assistant Director, Telecommunications Division; and Paula Foley, Hearing Officer. In accordance with the <u>Report and Order</u>, failure to respond to these inquiries raised by the Department may jeopardize the ability of the failing company to receive future numbering resources. Should you have any questions please feel free to contact Paula Foley at (617) 305-3608.

Sincerely,

Paula Foley Hearing Officer

Enclosures

cc: Mary Cottrell, Secretary

Paul G. Afonso, General Counsel

D.T.E. 00-64 service list

ATTACHMENT A

D.T.E. 00-64

COMPANY NAME

	2002			2003				2004			2005						
NPA	1 st Q.	2 ^d Q.	3 rd Q.	4 th Q.	1 st Q.	2 ^d Q.	3 rd Q.	4 th Q.	1 st Q.	2 ^d Q.	3 rd Q.	4 th Q.	1 st Q.	2 ^d Q.	3 rd Q.	4 th Q.	
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<u>Please Note:</u> For wireless carriers, supply data in full NXX codes.

For wireline and LNP capable carriers, supply data by thousands-block.

EXAMPLE FORM

ATTACHMENT B

D.T.E. 00-64

COMPANY NAME

NXX	BLOCK	ASSIGNED	AGING	INTERMEDIATE	RESERVED	ADMINISTRATIV E	AVAILABL E
	0-999						
	1000-1999						
	2000-2999						
	3000-3999						
	4000-4999						
	5000-5999						
	6000-6999						
	7000-7999						
	8000-8999						
	9000-9999						
	TOTALS						

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